



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): John Dilger) Title: Diagnostic Apparatus and) Methods for a Chemical Detectio) System		
Serial No: 10/042,979)		
Filed: January 9, 2002) Group Art Unit: 2857		
	Examiner: Tsai, Carol S W		

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment for the above application.

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I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, on June 28, 2004 in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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	Verified statement(s) claiming small entity status is(are) attached
	Small entity status has been established and is still effective.
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2. Fee for Claims

The fee for additional claims [(37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)] has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
TOTAL	23	MINUS	21	=2	X 9=	\$0.00	X18=	\$36.00
INDEP.	7	MINUS	3	=4	X42=	\$0.00	X84=	\$336.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim			+140=	\$0.00	+280=	0.00		
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE			\$0.00	1	OR	\$372.00		

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\boxtimes	Attached is a check in the amount of:	\$372.00
	Charge Deposit Account No. 13-2855 in the amount of:	\$
	A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.	

4. Deposit Account and Refund Authorization

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the amount enclosed or any additional fees which may be required during the pendency of this application under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 13-2855. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

Please refund any overpayment to Marshall, Gerstein & Borun at the address below.

Respectfully submitted, MARSHALL, GERSTEIN & BORUN 6300 Sears Tower 233 South Wacker Drive Chicago, Illinois 60606-6357 (312) 474-6300

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AMENDMENT A

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed on March 26, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

The Remarks section begins on page 10 of this Amendment.

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